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Our Case No. 10022/221

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
G. Victor Guyan et al.)
Serial No. 09/667,612) Examiner: Alain L. Bashore
Filing Date: September 22, 2000) Group Art Unit No. 3624
For PROVIDING EVALUATION AND)
PROCESSING OF LINE ITEMS)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

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In response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2003, Applicants have timely filed this Amendment. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to withdraw the rejections set forth in the Office Action and to pass this Application to allowance in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend this application as follows:



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 10022/221
Serial No. 09/667,612	Filing Date September 22, 2000	Examiner A. Bashore	Group Art Unit 3624
Inventor(s) Guyan et al.			
Title of Invention Providing Evaluation And Processing Of Line Items			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Amendment.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition for a _____ month extension of time.

No additional fee is required.

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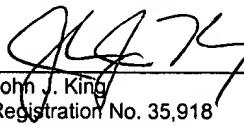
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

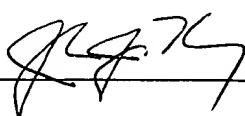
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